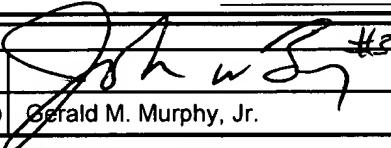




<b>Effective on 12/08/2004.</b> <b>Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).</b> <b>FEE TRANSMITTAL</b> <b>For FY 2005</b>		<b>Complete if Known</b>	
		Application Number	09/936,930-Conf. #3012
		Filing Date	September 19, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Tsuyoshi HIRAMATSU
		Examiner Name	V. S. Chang
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit	1771
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT</b> (\$)		1,360.00	
		Attorney Docket No.	3273-0146P

<b>METHOD OF PAYMENT</b> (check all that apply)					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/> Money Order <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please identify): _____					
<input type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account   Deposit Account Number: <u>02-2448</u> Deposit Account Name: <u>Birch, Stewart, Kolasch &amp; Birch, LLP</u>					
For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below			<input type="checkbox"/> Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayment of fee(s) under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit any overpayments		

<b>FEE CALCULATION</b>							
<b>1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES</b>							
<b>Application Type</b>	<b>FILING FEES</b>		<b>SEARCH FEES</b>		<b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>		
	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity</b>	<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____
<b>2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES</b>							
<b>Fee Description</b>							
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)					<b>Small Entity</b>		
					<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	
					50	25	
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)					200	100	
Multiple dependent claims					360	180	
<b>Total Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	<b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>			
12	- 54 =	x	=	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	_____	
<b>Indep. Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>	_____			
3	- 12 =	x	=	_____			
<b>3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE</b>							
If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).							
<b>Total Sheets</b>	<b>Extra Sheets</b>	<b>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof</b>		<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>		
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<b>4. OTHER FEE(S)</b>							
Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)							
Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1801 Request for continued examination (RCE) (see 37 ...      790.00							
1253 Extension for response within third month      570.00*							

<b>SUBMITTED BY</b>	
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\*First and second month extensions of time were paid for on August 18, 2005.